ROBBING AN EXPRESS WAGON.

REGISTER'S OFFICE NOTES. REGISTER'S OFFICE NOTES.

There was filed for record in the Register's Office vesterday a deed by which the firm of Steinway & Sons transferred to Gideon Fountain properly having a frontage of 215 feet on the south side of Fifty-third-st., between Third and Fourth-aves. The consideration was \$110,000, and Mr. Fountain gave the fir a mortgage of \$90,000 on the property, payable in two years.

There was also recorded the conveyance by H. Neustadter and his wife of property 225 by 100.5 on the south side of Eighty-first-st., 100 feet east of Fifth-ave., to William P. and Ambrose M. Parsons, builders, for the sum of \$222,000. The latter have given Mr. Neustadter a mortgage for \$219,800 on the property.

WHAT IS GOING ON TO-DAY.

Actors' Fund Association meeting. Majone's sentence in Supreme Court, Livingston-Fleming suit in Brooklys. Dinner of Alumni of Seton Hall College at Pinard's.

NEWARK.

Francis S. Brockway, prorpletor of the Park House, was tried in the Court of Quarter Sessions yesterday on the charg of allowing gambling with dice in his bouse. A number of witnesses were called, principally young men who had been accustomed to gamble in the Park House. The gambling was done in a room back of the bar, and only those could enter who were provided with keys. The jury brought in a verdict of guilty.

INCOLN PARK.—Some time ago strife occurred in the Lincoln Park Union Chapel Association, at Lincoln Park N. J. A body of malcontents who had seceded from the association built a new chapel, and to fit it up carried off an organ and a library of books from the school-house where the original association worshipped. The plundered worshippers brought a suit for trover and conversion before a Justice of the Peace at Boonton, and he has just decided for the planniffs.

STATEN ISLAND

to death on Tuesday by the upsetting of a lamp. Silver Lake,—The ice men employed at Silver Lake, numbering about 100, are on a strike for an increase of pay. No violence has been attempted, and the contractors expect that the men will resume work to-day.

WHITE PLAINS.—Mrs. Montfort, widow of Albert Montfort, who was murdered at Kensico in September last, vesterday made an application to Surrogate Coffin at White Plains for permission to sell on mortgage the property left by her husband, in order to make a settlement with the persons having claims against the estate. LONG ISLAND.

MINIATURE ALMANAC, Sun ris's 7:16; sets, 5:09 Moon ris's 7:53 Moon's age,d'ys 16 HIGH WATER TO-DAY.

A.M.—Sandy Hook. 9:01; Gov. Island. 9:45; Hell Gate. 11:34 P.M.—Sandy Hook. 9:20; Gov. Island, 10:09; Hell Gate. 11:58

.White Star.

SHIPPING NEWS.

leaving a balance of \$81.56.

THE ELEVENTH-STREET CEMETERY TROUBLE.
The grave-owners of the Eleventh-Street Cometery held another meeting in room No. 24 of Cooper Institute last night. The majority of those present were women. It was stated that the trustees would not move the bodies for another year in order to allow time to the relatives to make such disposal of them as may seem best. Mr. Delancy will apply for a preliminary injunction from the court in the first week in February.

SUING A RAILWAY FOR DAMAGES.

The trial of the suit of Daniel McManus against the Pennsylvania Railway Company to recover \$20.000 as damages for injuries received at a crossing of the railway in Jersey City on March 30, 1878, was begun yesterday in the United States Circuit Court. The plaintiff was driving a truck over the crossing when he was struck by an engine. The defendants claim that McManus was directed by the fingmen to stop and that he refused to do so.

ORANGE GROYES NOT IN DEMAND.

orange grove in St. Augustine for So eents per acre, dispersed the sale, hoping to pick up perhaps the finest orange grove in St. Augustine; gentlemen, you must think you are bidding for a potato-patch. We withdraw this orange grove to hold for private sale; said the auctioneer of the Kingsland Orange Grove Place at the Exchange Salesroom in Broadway yesterday. There was no doubt about it. Orange groves in Florida were at a discount, tempting photographs and elaborate advertisements notwithstanding, and the few consumptives who had gailbered at the sale, hoping to pick up perhaps the finest orange grove in St. Augustine for 50 cents per acre, dispersed discontentedly.

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GENERAL SMITH'S MASTIFF.

Six weeks ago, General William Smith, ex-police Commissioner and now one of the Commissioners for the opening of the Harlem River, lost a valuable mastiff, which had taken the third prize at the bench show two years ago. The General's colored servant saw the dog in Philip Weinel's liquor-store, at No. 104 Sixth-aye,, and took the animal to its master. Mr. Weinel demanded the return of the dog, saying that he had paid a man named Henry Ford \$5 for it. The General teld him he did not care how he got the brute, that the dog belonged to him and that he intended to keep it. Yesterday Mr. Weinel met Ford in Washington-square and caused his arrest. In the Jefferson Market Police Court Justice Patterson remanded Ford to enable General Smith, who is at present out of town, to appear against him.

BROOKLYN.

The police clew in regard to the robbery of John J. Johnston, cashier of Boyuton's Saw and File Works, is that it was planned and carried out by some of the workmen in the factory. No one has been arrested.

is due to the depression of the fron trade.

Six cents damages were awarded to Daniel Reilly in the Circuit Court yesterday in a suit brought by him to recover \$5,000 for slander uttered by John Davis, charging him with complicity in a robbery of silks worth \$2,800 from the store of Porter & Thorburn in 1877. Reilly was employed in the

A number of amateur astronomers of Breoklyn have formed a society to be known as the American Astronomical Society. The following officers have been chosen: President, S. V. White; vice-presi-dent, W. T. Gregg; secretary, G. P. Serviss. It is said to be the only organization of the kind in the

Several attempted and successful burglaries have recently occurred in Bay Ridge. The last was on Sunday morning, when the house of the Rev. H. Russell, pastor of the Bay Ridge Methodist Episcopal Church, was entered. Property worth about \$300 was carried off, including a gold watch, silverware and valuable clothing. Six persons were asleep in the house at the time. A reward has been offered for the arrest of the burglars.

jury brought in a verdict of guilty.

At the twenty-second anniversary meeting of the Women's Union Missionary Society of America, held yesterday, Mrs. B. J. Ely, presided. The secretary's report set forth that the society has three mission stations in India, one in China, one in Japan and one in Gyprus. The treasurer's report showed that besides \$20,000 bequeathed to the society for investment, the receipts for the past year were \$53,-831 64, and the disbursements, \$34,760 85. Addresses were made by Miss Eddy, of Syria; Miss Hillis, of Ceylon; Mrs. Barchet, from China, and Mrs. Jackson, formerly in India.

NEW.JERSEY.

CASTLETON.—The Republican primaries will be held on the evening of February 3, and the town convention on February 7.

JAMAICA.—Diphtheria of a malignant type prevails to an aiarming extent at Springfield.

While watching for ducks on the Sound shore, at Mt. Sinai, on Tuesday afternoon, Charles Satterly's gun was accidentally discharged, its contents entering his legs and back.

Long Island City.—The delay in the collection of taxes is proving a serious inconvenience to the various departments in the city government. The warrants for the collection of the State and county taxes were signed by the Supervisors yesterday. The books will be delivered to City Treasurer, Bleckwein to-day.

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

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FRIDAY, JANUARY 26 Royal Netherland. State. Beaver.

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\$1,221 08 and the receipts were \$1,302 64, | leaving a balance of \$81.56.

Steamer Rapidan, Young, West Peint, Va, with mase to Old Dominion Sa Co. P Cirde & Co.

Steamer Finance (new 2000 tons), Carpenter, Chester, in ballast to Paul F Gerhard & Co.

Steamer Breskwater, Boaz, Lewes, Del, with mase and passengers to Old Dominion St Co.

Steamer Franconia, Bennett, Portland, with mase and passengers to J F Ames.

Steamer Neptune, Berry, Boston, with mase and passengers to H F Dimock.

from Antwerp Nov 30, with Law, of Dumfrieshire), Grierson, mell Bros. Blizabeth Nicholson (of Dumfrieshire), Grierson, Hark Elizabeth Nicholson (of Dumfrieshire), Grierson, Singapore Oct 25, with indise to Vernon H Brown & Co; vos.

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Bark Richard Pearse (Br), Bartaby, Bonaire 18 days, with
sailt to Abel & Co; vessel to J F Whitney & Co.

Bark Caribon (of Boston), Shaw, New-Bedford, in ballast to
J H Winchester & Co.

Brig Morancy (of Boston), Wooster. Port de Paix Jan 2,
with logwood to order; vessel to Miller & Houghton.

Brig Ernestine (of Vertland), Norton, Calbarien 12 days,
with sugar to order; vessel to Brett, Son & Co.

SUNSET-Wind at Sandy Hook, moderate, SW; hazy.

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SUNSET—Wind at Sandy Hook, moderate, SW; hazy.

At City Island, Bght, SW; cloudy.

The following vessels arrived on the 23d inst, but were omitted from the report:

Steamer Alvena (Br), Morris, Gonaires, and St Johns, PR, with modes and passengers to Pim, Forwood & Co.

Steamer Western Texas, Risk, Fernandina, and Port Royal, with modes and passengers to C if Mailory & Co.

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Steamer Thorn Holme (Br), Holmes, Plymouth-Bowring & Archibald.
SteumerState of Florida (Br), Johnston, Glasgow—Austin Baldwin & Co.
Steamer Hugia (Ger), Albers, Hamburg, via Plymouth, etc.
Kuninard & Co.
Steamer De Ruyter (Belg), Helletger, Antwerp—Funch, Edys & Co. dye & Co. Steamer Glenfyne (Br), Rains, Para, Pornambuco and Rio Ineiro via Baltimore—R B Borland. Bleamer Algiera, Porcy, Now-Orleans—Bogert & Morgan, Steamer City of Sarannah, Catherine, Savannah—Henry

onge, jr. Steamer Delaware, Winnett, Charleston-Jas W Quintard & Co. Steamer Guyandotte, Kelley, Norfolk, City Point and Isleh-mond—Old Dominion Ss Co. Steamer Rapidan, Jehney, West Point, Vs—Old Dominion ner McCleitan, Biliupa, Baltimore—Geo H Giovar, mer Commonwealth, Van Kirk, Philadelphia—John Roberts. Steamer J W Garret, Foster, South Amboy - J S Krems. Bark Karl (Russ), Olfa, Hamburg - C Tobias & Co. Bark Maitland (Nor), Andersen, Bordeaux - Benham, Pick-

ering & Co.
Brig S uppleich (Ger), Rugers, Copenhagen, Den-C Tobias & Co.
Brig L & W Armstrong, Alexander, Point a Pitre-L W & P
Armstrong.
Brig R W Messer, Brewster, Cardenas-Brown & Keen.

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Steamers Notting Hill, for London: Parthis and Wisconsin,
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phia. Ship Heronies, for Aniwerp,
Campbar: Guaspper Costagliols, Cette: Triompho de Gaza,
Operto, Varuna, Hains. Brigs Amanda, for Las Palmas;
Adrienne, Ayr, Daylight, Barbadoes.

THE MOVEMENTS OF STEAMERS,
FOREIGN POBTS.

FOREIGN POBTS

LONDON, Jan 24 Passed up the Channel—Steamers Jason Dichl, Henlopen, from New York on her way to Amsterdam: ompton (Br), Rogers, from New-Gricans Dec 29, Newport News Jan 6, on her way to Bremen.

Liverson, Jan 24 Arrived, sleamers Elpis (Br), Turner, Twest Point, Va. Jan 7. Lake Winnipeg (Br), Siewart, rom New York Jan 12, Pedro (Span), Gartlez, from Norfolk

from New York Jan 12, Pento Gyali, Contras, Robinson, Jan 54.—Arrived, ateamer British Prince, Gurton, from Philadeiphin Jan 14, en her way to Liverpool. Lizame, Jan 24.—Passod, ateamer The Queen (Br., Cochrane, from New-York Jan 13, on her way to London. CARDIFF. Jan 24.—Arrived, ateamer Rheola (Br.). Horlor, from New York Jan 14.

HAVES, Jan 24.—Arrived, ateamer Newminster (Br.), Scott, from New-Orleans Jan 5.

BAYONSE, Jan 29.—Arrived, steamer Nithesdale (Br.), Lawrence, from New-Orleans Dec 4,

HALIFAX, Jan 24-Arrived, steamer Parisian (Br), Wytie

Liverpool.

DOMESTIC PORTS.

BOSION, Jan 24—Arrived, steamers Dominion (Rr), Blanvelt, Yarmouth, NS; Nereus, Bearse, New-York; Lancaster, Mills, Philadeliohia.

Cleared, steamers Missouri (Br), Gleig, Liverpool; Sulonian (Br), Spitlal, Glawow. Cleared, steamors Missouri (Br), Greig, Liverpool; Saloman Br), Spittal, Gliasçow. Salled, steamers Nowcastle City, London: Allegheny, Balti-nore; Bonnan, Philadelphia; Gen Whitney, New York. PHILADELPHIA, Jan 24—Arrived, steamer J W Everman, Hines, New York. Cleared, steamers Tangier (Br), Neste, Glasgow; Hasland Bri, Humble, do. (Br., Humble, do., Bailed, seamers langier (Br.), Neate, Glasgow; Hasland Br., Humble, do., Bailed, steamers Lord Clive, Liverpool; Zeeland, Antwerp, Ballinkers, Jan 24—Arrived, steamers Acabia (Br.), McCaskill, Benisat, Glenbervie (Br.), Dunn, Palermo; Wm Kennedy, Parker, Providence, Cleared, steamers Louise H (Br.), Hulig, Liverpool; Thoray Croff (Br., Sedy, Galway; Wm Crane, Taylor, Savannah; Saragossa, Warren, New-York, Sailed, steamers Joshua Nicholson, Colina, Saragossa and Wm Crane.

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Claims by death not yet due

Premiums paid in advance

Agents' Balances

Surplus and Contingent Guarantee

Fund

CHARLESTON, Jan 28-Sailed, steamer Morro Castle, New

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STATEMENT

THE MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY OF NEW YORK.

F. S. WINSTON, President.

For the year ending December 31st, 1882.

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Dividends.
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Balance to New Account. 3,139,320 83 3,653,554,66 \$107.542,772 64 Balance Sheet.

> By Bonds Secured by Mortgages on Real Estate. \$47,350,337 \$55 United States and other Bonds. 50,618,633 co. Loans on Collaterals. 57,009,900 co. Real Estate. 7,853,36 \$8 19,795 55 Real Estate.
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NOTE .- If the New York Standard of four and a half per cent Interest be used, the Surplus is over \$12.000,000.

From the Surplus, as appears in the Balance Sheet, a dividend will be apportioned to each participating Policy which shall be in force at its anniversary in 1883. THE PREMIUM RATES CHARGED FOR INSURANCE IN THIS COMPANY WERE REDUCED IN 1879 ABOUT 15 FER CENT ON ORDINARY LIFE POLICIES.

Naw York, January 18, 1833.

SEYMOUR L. HUSTER,
OLIVER H. PALMER,
RICHARD A. MCCURDY,
JAMES C. HOLDER,
HERBARN C. VON POST,
GEORGE C. RICHARDSON,
ALEXANDER H. RICK,
WILLIAM F. BARCOCK,
F. RATCHFORD STARR.

FROM THE START OLIVERANT,
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PREDERICK S. WINSTON, SANUEL B. SPROULLS, LUCHIN ROBINSON, SANUEL D. BARCOCK, WILLIAM SMITH BROWN, HENREY A. SMYTHE, WILLIAM E. DODGE, GRORGE S. COR, JOHN E. DEVELIN,

This Company has hitherto restricted its business to the healthy portions of the United States, chiefly at the North and West. The Compapy proposes to adhere to a policy which has wrought results so satisfactory as are shown in the foregoing statement.

The reasons therefor are stated in the following Extract from the Annual Report of the Mutual Life Insurance Company does not extend the States into such portions of this country as are deemed insulutious, and where it would be necessary to exact an extra premium, because of the hazard involved in the climate or the habits of the people. Hence its business has been limited chiefly to the northern and western portions of this country, indeed, generally comes from residents of such countries, who desire to share in the advantages which insurance in this company affords. While it is alleged that other companies deem it for their interest to extend their business to the West Indies, Central and South America, and to remote and insulutrious countries, this company has seen no reason to change its action in regard to the area of territory in which the business of life insurance may be safely conducted by a company of this State.

The objections to the extension of its business to foreign countries are chiefly these: That it has not appeared to be fair and equitable to introduce into a mutual company risks on lives exposed to especially deleterious climatic influences, the effect of which would be to impair the equilibrium which ought to prevail among all the members of a congrany, where reciprocation of hazard and 6f advantage should be a ruling principle. It would be unjust to place persons of distinctly different race, habits and residence to enter into foreign countries have not seemed to outsure the following and the provided in the countries are chiefly these: That it has not appeared to be fair and equitable to introduce into a provided in the reserves of home policy-holders.

That the home field affords ample scope for the experience and policy and preventing a

Royal Baking Powder ABSOLUTELY PURE

# LOCAL MISCELLANY.

THE PARK BOARD AT WORK. ONSIDERABLE BUSINESS DISPOSED OF IN AN

The Park Commissioners held an hour's session resterday forenoon, going promptly to work at 10 felock, with Mr. Olliffe in the chair. The old elements of discord being removed, business was rapidly dispatched, the new Commissioners, General Egoert L. Viele and John D. Crimmins, taking an active part. The Board spent most of the hour considering plans for the improvement of the parks, especially in the annexed district, to which attention was called by a deputation on Saturday last.

Richard Busteed, of Brooklyn, requested the privilege of inclosing the obelisk in a glass case, as a means of preserving it. The communication had been forwarded from the Mayor's office. It was referred to Mr. Crimmins, who smiled at the idea of it. A petition for a new sewer in Washington-ave, between One-hundred-and-fifty-sixth and One-hundred-and-fifty-ninth-sts, was referred, as was also one from Peck & Snyder regarding lawn-tennis privileges in Central Park, the latter going to General Viele. A complaint from John H. Sherwood, of One-hundred-and-fiftieth-st, and Sixth-ave, against the unsightly condition of the rains of the Mt. St. Vincent Hotel, with a request for their removal, was referred to Mr. Wales. A communication regarding the mutilation of street monuments in the annexed district was sent to the Police Department with the request that it be attended to. The subject of rustic arbors in the Park led Mr. Wales to say: "They are becoming a serious nuisance. Thoy are picturesque when covered with vines, yet very expensive." Plans regarding them were referred for specifications.

Plans for the improvement and putting in order of Riverside Park as soon as possible were referred to General Viele. The subject of improvements in Morningside Park was laid over, as General Viele wished to inform himself fully in the matter. Mr. Wales stated that that park was in a bad condition and that residents were complaining of it bitterly. A resolution was next adopted ordering the removal within thirty days of all signs, posts and obstacle

sewerage system, so that now that system could be completed.

The letter of General Graham, received a yearago, regarding the building of a concrete walk in front of the Barge Office, was referred. Mr. Wales thinking that the Park Department should not bear all, if any, of the expenses for it. Mr. Wales submitted plans for a proper building at Mr. St. Vincent, these then being referred to him and Mr. Olines. Mr. Wales also submitted plans for two ladies' cottages, one at Reservoir Park, the other at Mt. Morris Square, and they were referred to him with power. The carriage service, to be revived at Central Park, was granted to George W. Eggers, of Brooklyn, for three years, with a license fee of \$250.

THE STEAM-HEATING NUISANCE.

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TESTIMONY BEFORE THE COMMITTEE ON STREETS.

A meeting of the Aldermen's Committee on Streets was held yesterday to inquire into the alleged abuse of the franchise granted to the steam-heating companies, it having been declared that the experiment of steam-heating had already proved dangerous to life and property; that explosions were frequent, and that there were many complaints of odors escaping from the pipes. General Egbert L. Viele said that steam-heating was an experiment and should not have been allowed to be conducted on so large a scale as was the case in this city until it had been conclusively demonstrated that the scheme was entirely practicable. It was evident that there was something wrong with the system when explosions were occurring at short intervals and the pipes were constantly undergoing repairs. He doubted the ultimate success of the system. Two companies which were organized and carried on operations in Troy had become bankrupt. He believed that the companies now in operation in the lower part of the city should not be allowed to extend their system until steam-heating on this scale was proved to be practicable.

James Yereance, resident manager of the London and Lancashire Fire Insurance Company, whose offices are at No. 46 Pine-st., said that the odors from the pipes of the American Steam-heating and Power Commany were almost unendurable and had driven a number of clerks in his office from their desks. Eight clerks were compelled to abandon their work. These noxious smells were traced to the packing used around the pipes as non-conductors.

Dr. R. H. Tracy, an inspector of the Health Department, said that he had investigated several of the complaints made asgainst the steam-heating companies. The result of his examinations from the pipes and that this was detrimental to health. The pipes became heated to such an extent as to melt the snow three feet above them. The streets down town were saturated with the exhalations from the pipes. The heat from the steam-p TESTIMONY BEFORE THE COMMITTEE ON STREETS.

GIVEN A DUPLICATE PERMIT.

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Mrs. Ellen Lynch went to the Bureau of Vital Statistics again yesterday and asked Dr. Nagle for a duplicate permit for the burial of her son's body. Her husband, who has been living apart from her for five years, on the previous day had obtained a permit for the burial and had interfered with the plans of Mrs. Lynch. The woman made an affidavit relating the facts and a duplicate permit was given to her. The permit held by her husband was cancelled. The burial will take place to-day.

Some of her neighbors told Mrs. Lynch yesterday that her husband had been seen loitering about the house. The intelligence filled her with fear. She was anxious to obtain possession of the living son, which her husband had taken away from her on Tuesday, but a dread lest the body of her dead boy should be taken away by her husband if she left the house kept her from making a search. At length she was prevailed upon to go to the Tombs Police Court and ask for the arrest of her husband. When she entered the court-room she found her husband there before her. Mrs. Lynch pointed him out and asked for his arrest.

Justice Power listened to Mrs. Lynch's story, and

their dead child.

Mrs. Lynch returned to watch beside the coffin at
No. 118 Mulberry-st. She was so weak and cold
that she had difficulty in making her way home.
Lynch, instead of following the advice of Justice
Power, attempted to defend his own conduct by acensing his wife of disgraceful acts. Mrs. Lynch's
neighbors say she is a respectable and industrious
woman.

MR. HADEN'S LECTURES.

In compliance with the request of a number of prominent citizens, Francis Seymour Haden has consented before his return to England to deliver two lectures in this city embodying the results of his practice and study of etching. The lectures will be delivered in Chekering Hall on the evenings of Fobruary 5 and 8. The letter of invitation sent to Mr. Haden expressed a high appreciation of the important service he has rendered to art in aiding the receitablishment of engraving in its true and ancient position. The instructive specimens of the etcher's art which he has produced were commended for their fidelity to nature and sympathy with her moods, combined with great technical skill. Tickets for the lectures will be sold by subscription at M. Knoedler's and Wunderlick & Kepple's, up town, and at Sabin's, in Park-place.

FUNERAL OF JOHN W. QUINCY.

The funeral of the late John Williams Quincy was held yesterday in the Fresbyterian Church at University-place and West Tenth-st. The church was nearly filled. The cofin was covered with black broadcloth, and was ornamented with silver handles. A silver plate bore the name of the dead man, the date of his birth and death. The services were conducted by the Rev. Dr. Robert Russell Booth, paster of the church. The elders and deacons of the church attended in a body. The directors of the Half-Orphan Asylum, and those of the Juvenile Asylum, in both of which institutions Mr. Quincy was interested, were present and twenty-five boys and girls from the Half-Orphan Asylum sat in the gallery, and afterward joined the line which passed by the cofin. The body was taken to Boston for burnal in Forest Hill Cemetery. FUNERAL OF JOHN W. QUINCY.

action made them liable to suspension from the Exchange under the rules. It was the first instance of the kind on record. Recognizing their unpleasant situation, the firm determined to withdraw the case from the courts and pay the award made by the Arbitration Committee. Mr. Orr then withdraw his complaint.

TWENTY FEET OF NAMES.

The struggle on the part of the people of Staten Island for better ferry facilities has reached a fever heat, and seems likely to be successful very soon. The latest development is the presentation to the New-York Sinking Fund Commissioners, who control the reletting of the Battery ferry franchise, of a monster petition asking them to afford all possible encouragement to any project in opposition to the present monopoly. Five thousand names were affixed to the petition within five days. This number represents fully mue-tentins of the property-holders of the three villages that will derive the greatest benefit from the sought-for changes, and almost the entire body of voters. The directory of the district embraced contains only 4.000 names, and the entire population is only 25.000 men, women and children, so that the signers of the petition include, besides the property-holders, a large number of working people who do not own or lease real estate but who patronize the ferry twice a day. The printed list of names affixed to the decument forms a column nearly twenty feet long. Never before in the history of Staten-Island has there been such an overwhelming evidence of public interest in any movement of the kind. TWENTY FEET OF NAMES

ROBBING AN EXPRESS WAGON.

Officer James J. Sullivan, of the Seventh Precinct, on Tuesday night saw three men running through Catharine-st. One of them carried a bundle. The policeman after a brisk chase of three blocks caught the latter. He accounted for the possession of the parcel, which contained a variety of dry-goods valued at \$35. by saying that it was given him by a man named John Mason, who requested him to take it to the Atlantic Hotel. Sullivan took him to the station house, where a short time subsequently William Donnelly, an expressman, claimed the property. He was accompanied by a bright-faced lad named William J. Ackerman, who lives at No. 1,508 Pacific-st., Brooklyn. The lad said he was stationed in the rear of the wagon to prevent the loss of its contents. It was moving through Catharine-st. near the ferry when three young men sprang toward him. Two of them dragged him to the street and prevented him from making an outcry by holding his month. They forced him to the sidewalk and when their confederate had secured the bundle they ran off. The prisoner described himself as Henry Wildes, a waiter, age twenty years, of No. 341 East Twenty-second-st. In the Essex Market Police Court yesterday, when asked by the magistrate if he could identify the prisoner, Ackerman replied that the occurrence was so sudden that he could not. Justice Patterson held Wildes for trial without bail on a charge of robbery.

BURGLARS PROMPTLY ARRESTED. BURGLARS PROMPTLY ARRESTED.

Detective-Sergeants Adams, Langan and McGnire were watching for shoplifters in Grand-st. early on Tuesday evening, when they saw two thieves, Edward Breslin and Thomas Rogers, going toward the Grand Street Ferry. The officers recognized the thieves and followed them across the ferry. Having lost sight of them in Brooklyn they returned to this city and watched near the ferry-house for their reappearance, thinking that the rogues had planned some robbery. Soon after 9 p. m. Breslin and Rogers returned to the city, carrying two black bags. They were arrested in Grandst. and taken to Police Hendquarters. The black bags contained four silk dresses and some other wearing apparel, worth \$400. Yesterday Mrs. Annie Jamieson, of No. 412 Grand-st., Brooklynidentified the clothing as her property. Her, house had been plundered by the thieves while she was away from it.

CAPTURE OF THREE BURGLARS. CAPTURE OF THREE BURGLARS.

Burglars entered the house of Henry Senz, No. 228 East Twenty-eighth-st., on January 6, and carried off goods worth \$75, including a sewing machine. A few days ago the machine was offered for sale in East Houston-st. The police traced it to the house of Annie Curley, No. 409 East Twenty-ninth-st. Other stolen goods were found secreted in the woman's rooms. She was arrested, as was also Edward McKeon, age nineteen, of No. 407 East Twenty-ninth-st., who had tried to dispose of the machine; Michael Cowan, age eighteen, of No. 206 East Twenty-second-st., and Cornelius Riley, age seventeen, No. 589 Third-ave. In the Yorkville Police Court yesterday they admitted stealing the goods and said they carried them away in a wagon. They were committed by Justice Herrman for trial. The woman was also held as a receiver.

A BUFFALO DRUGGIST MISSING.

Norman M. Pierce, a young chemist of Buffalo, who is believed to have come to this city in great mental distress, is missing. Fears are entertained by his friends that he may have committed suicide. Mr. Pierce left the house of his grandfather, in a small village midway between Buffalo and Rochester, on January 15, and went to the latter city, arriving there in the evening. On the following day a magazine was sent from New-York addressed in Mr. Pierce's handwriting to a young woman in Michigan to whom he was engaged to be married. There had been an estrangement between the young people. Mr. Pierce had overworked himself for several mouths. His brother, H. J. Pierce, of No. 195 Water-st., consulted with Inspector Brynes yesterday, and a general alarm was sent out to the police describing the young man. A BUFFALO DRUGGIST MISSING.

DR. GEORGE M. BEARD'S DEATH. DR. GEORGE M. BEARD'S DEATH.

A post-mortem examination of the body of the late Dr. George M. Beard was made yesterday at his home in the Grand Hotel. The cause of his death was ascribed to embolic pneumonia resulting from absorption of purulent matter from an abscess of the upper jaw. Drs. Satterthwaite and Porter made the examination, There were present Drs. E. R. Leaming and J. L. Little, the attending physicians, Drs. Kellogg, C. L. Dana, Goodwillie, Mitchell and others.

The funeral of Dr. Beard will take place on Saturday at 11 a. m. at the Broadway Tabernacle. The Rev. Dr. William M. Taylor will officiate. The body will be taken to Andover, Mass., for burial.

PROPOSED IMPROVEMENTS POSTPONED PROPOSED IMPROVEMENTS POSTPONED

At the meeting of the Dock Commissioners vesterday there was a prolonged discussion upon the proposition of President Laimbeer to cause the removal of all obstructions on the North River bulkheads between Eleventh and Twenty-third sts. Commissioners Laimbeer and Vanderpoel advocated the removal of such obstructions twenty feet back from the bulkheads before March 1, while Commissioner Voorhis suggested delay. It was finally resolved that the owners of the obstructions should be summoned before the Commissioners for conference on February S. A resolution agreeing to suspend the improvements contemplated on the waterfront at West Washington Market for one year was adopted.

THE HARLEM GHOST MYSTERY SOLVED.

The "liarlem ghost mystery," which has not been of the kind calculated to make the occupants of the flat happy, nor to cause them to look on the cheerful side of anything, has at last been solved. Upon making an investigation yesterday it was found that the gas-pipe netween the ceiling and the floor had become loosened, and that upon the charging of the gasometers at the gas-works only the pulsations caused the gas-pipe to vibrate against the beam and plastering with such great force as to cause the peculiar manifestations. Similar pulsations through pipes are used in Paris to move clocks in various parts of that city. Atmospheric pumps force air at intervals of a second from a central station, and the pressure, acting upon the clocks simultaneously, fornishes correct time. THE HARLEM GHOST MYSTERY SOLVED.

BURIED AT SEA TO AVOID TROUBLE.

Among the passengers who sailed from Key West on the steamship Western Texas, which arrived here yesterday, was Miss Emma J. Lewis, who had been sick with consumption for a long period. She died on Monday night and was buried at sea on the following day. She was about thirty years of age, and has a brother living in Kirkwood, N. Y. She appeared to be without means. The captain of the vessel said that if the body had been brought to this port it would have been buried in Potter's Field, and to avoid all the formalities of a coroner's investigation and consequent delay and expense, he deemed it best to bury her at sea. BURIED AT SEA TO AVOID TROUBLE.

FIGHTING THE STANDARD OIL COMPANY.

For some months the people of New-Brighton, Staten Island, have been making preparation for legal proceedings to compel the Standard Oil Company to abate the nuisances, in the way of noisome vapors and sludge acid, which emanate from its works across the Kill von Kull, at Bergen Point, N.J. Stewart & Boardman and Lester W. Clark, attorneys, have secured the co-operation of the State and local Health Boards, with numerous affidavits from citizens, and the Attorney-General has appointed January 29 for a hearing in the matter. At this hearing the oil company will be required to show cause why the Attorney-General should not being suit to enjoin them from throwing sindge acid and waste material into the water of the Kills, and to compel them to consume the smoke from their factories. FIGHTING THE STANDARD OIL COMPANY.

and girls from the Half-Orphan Asylum sat in the gallery, and afterward joined the line which passed by the coffin. The body was taken to Boston for burial in Forest Hill Cemetery.

ABIDING BY THEIR AGREEMENT.

John C. and Charles L. Seager, of the firm of Seager Brothers, were before the Compitaint Committee of the Produce Exchange vesterday, to answer a charge made by Alexander E. Orr, chairman of the Artitration Committee, that they had violated their cashs in not abiding by the pledge that they signed to shown it to the decision of the latter committee in the matter of A. D. Straus & Co., to whom they were to pay \$1.498 21 and \$80 costs for loss on violation of contract. Soager Brothers appeared the case to the courts and secured an injunction. This A PECULIAR CASE OF LARCENY.

held by Justice Herrman in \$5,000 bail for examination.

A SCARCITY OF MEAT NOT FEARED. The extremely cold weather seems to be seriously interfering with operations at the great Western stock centres. Chicago complains of the scarcity of offerings in her markets, of interruptions to railway communications, and of the destruction of stock in the yards, owing to the severity of the frosts. The facilities for transporting stock to the Last are said to be seriously impaired because of the condition of the roads, and shippers are slow about making purchases.

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A TRIBUNE reporter made some inquiries among butchers and marketmen, yesterday, as to the probable effect of this state of affairs upon the home market, but nowhere could he find fears of a scarcity of cattle and consequent high prices. The supply of cattle was light yesterday, but it was large enough to meet the demand, and the prices realized were only 3-4 cent a pound higher than on last Friday. The supply will be a little short, perhaps, during the early part of next week, because up to the present time the shipments from the West for next week's market have been light; but there is a plentiful supply of beef on hand, and there will be no scarcity. In fact, the wholesale butchers complain that they cannot dispose of all their stock. Dressed meat has depreciated because it is frozen, and the retail butchers will buy no more than is absolutely necessary. Some choice lots have been sold for 10 cents a pound, but good beef is bringing generally only from 8 to 9 1-2 cents a pound, which is scarcely an advance upon last week's prices. Hogs are somewhat scarce. The runs in Chicago are very light and numbers of hogs die in the pens. Not only are they frozen to death, but they crowd together so closely for the sake of obtaining warmth that many animals are suffocated. Both live and dressed hogs are selling for 1-4 to 1-2 cent a pound higher than last week; but unless the cold weather continues for a long time, no real scarcity is looked for. The market is well supplied with mutton, and prices are lower than last week.

HOME NEWS.

PROMINENT ARRIVALS. 

Charity Ball at Academy of Music.
Ensilage Congress at No. 55 Beekman-st.
Kenny murder trail in Brocklyn.
Meeting of Water Commission at Mayer Edson's office.
Passion Play argument in Superior Court.
Association of Insurance Journalists at St. Nicholas

NEW-YORK CITY. The reopening of the books of the Western Union Telegraph Company has been postponed by vote of the Executive Committee until February 1.

STEAMER DEPARTURE DELAYED.

The White Star steamer Republic will not sail for Liverpool until 7 o'clock on the morning of the FLOATED AND BROUGHT INTO FORT.
The ship Frederick E. Scammell, which went ashore on the Jersey coast last week, was floated at 6 a. m. yesterday, and was towed to the city. Her damages are slight.

MR. ABBEY BUYS A THEATRE.

Mr. Abbey said yesterday that the reported chase of the Park Theatre, Boston, by him was correct. He had been negotiating for the purchase for about three weeks. He did not care to make the terms of the sale public.

MEETING OF THE MICROSCOPICAL SOCIETY.

A meeting of the Microscopical Society of the City
of New-York was held last evening at No. 12 East
Twenty-second-st. Dr. John B. Rich presided. The
annual reports of the secretary and treasurer were
read, and other routine business was transacted. THE MAIN'S STORMY VOYAGE. The steamship Main, which arrived from Bremen yesterday, had a voyage of continuous gales, squalls, snow storms and high seas. The passengers presented a testimonial to the officers and erew for their attention to duty and careful madagement of

THE ROOSEVELT STREET FERRY. THE ROOSEVELT STREET FERRY.

The Controller was authorized yesterday by the Sinking Fund Commissioners to sell at public auction the lease of the ferry from Roosevelt-st., this city, to Broadway, Brooklyn, for five years from March, 1883, at a rental of not less than \$20,000

THREATENING TO CLOSE CASTLE GARDEN The Emigration Commissioners will meet to-da to decide whether Castle Garden and Ward's Islan shall be closed against immigrants, the Commis-sioners being destitute of funds. The commission is in debt for salaries to the employee since Decem-ber 1, and it owes about \$30,000 for supplies.

DISCHARGED FOR WANT OF EVIDENCE.

"Frank" Ramsdeil, the man who was arrested on the suspicion of having shot James L. Jordan, the gambler, in City Hall Park, on the atternoon of November 12, 1882, was discharged yesterday by the Grand Jury for want of evidence to convict him. KILLED BY JUMPING OUT OF A WINDOW Thomas Burns, an unmarried plano maker, who boarded at No. 200 West Thirty-sixth-st., jumped out of a third-story window of the boarding-house yesterday morning and was killed. It was believed that he had an attack of delirium tremens, as he

had been drinking heavily.

THE QUAIL EATER'S AGONY.
The eighteenth day of the quail eater's agony at "Gabe" Case's was appropriately ushered in yesterial by two poetical effusions from George Francis Train, who, at 1 and 2 o'clock, sent by postal cards poetical effusions predicting dire calamity to Mr. Walcott. The birds were eaten in 1912 minutes. BURIED IN MARBLE CEMETERY.

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The funeral of the late John Graye, an old merchant of New-York and one of the founders of the present public-school system of the city, was held yesterday noon at No. 6 West thirty-second-st. The services were conducted by the key. Dr. William Ormiston. The Rev. Dr. Theodore D. Cuyler, of Brooklyn, made an address. The burial was in Marble Cemetery in Second-st. Marble Cemetery in Second-st.

THE DALLAS BANK ROBBERY.

John Stewart, or George Coleman, who was arrested on Monday night by Detective Sergeants Williamson and Yon Gerichten on a charge of obtaining \$6,100 from the City National Bank of Dallas, Tex., on a bogus check drawn on the Park National Bank of this city, was remanded in the Jefferson Market Police Court yesterday to await the action of the Dallas authorities.

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FARE ON THE THIRTY-FOURTH STREET FERRY.
The Commissioners of the Sinking Fund yesterday rescinded their action requiring the fare on the ferry from Thirty-fourth-st. to Hunter's Point to be reduced to two cents from 5 to 7 a. m. and 6 to 7 p. m. and three cents during the remainder of the twenty-four hours. In making out new proposals for leasing this ferry for five years the Controller will designate three cents as the maximum rate to be charged.

The funeral services of Madison M. Marshall.

The funeral services of Madison M. Marshall were held last evening at No. 223 West Forty-eighth-st. Addresses were made by the Rev. Dr. A. Stewart Walsh, of the Thirty-third Street Baptist Church, and the Rev. Dr. Pendleton, of the Fifty-third Street Church. There was a large attendance of friends and relatives. The body will be taken this morning to Port Richmond, Staten Island, for burial. A PROSPEROUS LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY.
The statement of the Mutual Life Insurance Company, of New-York, shows assets of nearly \$98,000,000 at the close of the year 1882. If the New-York standard of 4½ per cent be used, the surplus is over \$12,000,000. The company announces that it has hitherto restricted its business to the healthy portions of the United States—the North and West chiefly—and that it proposes to adhere to a policy which has wronght results so satisfactory.

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KILLED BY A BLOW ON THE HEAD.

Dominick kinneen, age thirty, of No. 301 West
Fiftieth-st., a conductor on the Sixth Avenue Elevated road, on January 15 struck his head against
a platform post at a station while stooping to pick
up a time slip he had dropped on the platform of
his train. His wound was dressed by Dr. Turner.
Subsequently he was treated by Dr. Freer, the surgeon of the west side elevated roads, and by Dr.
Roof. Although his skull was not fractured he
died yesterday.

THE WOMAN'S BELIEF ASSOCIATION. THE WOMAN'S RELIEF ASSOCIATION.

The second annual report of the New York State Auxiliary to the Woman's National Rehef Association, shows that supplies have been sent to twenty-six life stations and four United States marine hospitals. "Life cars" for contributions have been placed in eight lines of steamers. The gifts in money amount to \$241.25. The annual subscribers and members number 88, and their subscriptions reach the sum of \$448. The expenses for the year were

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Building Commissioner Gaylor has just directed thirteen property-owners to put up fire-escapes.

Ex-Judge B. F. Tracy and ex-Corporation Counsel De Witt have formed a law partnership.

Professor D. G. Eaton, of Packer Institute, is reported to be seriously sick at Asheville, S. C., whither he went for his health.

In the suit of John Anderson against Henry D. Osterman, to recover \$25,000 as damages for the loss of an arm, the jury disagreed yesterday.

An absolute divorce has been granted by Judge Clement to Mrs. Marion B. Hewlette, from Charles M. Hewlette.

The police clew in regard to the robbery of John

been arrested.

The Night Medical Service, provided by Health Commissioner Raymond, went into effect last evening, and already the names of fifty physicians are upon the register, and their services can be secured through the captains of police.

The contract for the new water main in the Eastern District has been awarded to Mellert & Co., of Reading, Penn., and that for special eastings for the main to A. H. McNeill & Co., of Burlington, N. J., at an aggregate of \$140,000. This is \$30,000 less than the estimate made several mouths age, and is due to the depression of the iron trade.

Six cents damages were awarded to Daniel Reilly

NEW-JERSEY.

STATEN ISLAND.
STAPLETON.—Jane Robinson, colored, was burned

WESTCHESTER COUNTY.

FOREIGN STEAMERS DUE AT THIS PORTS

PORT OF NEW-YORK.....WEDNESDAY, JAN. 24, 1883.

ARRIVED.

Steamer Harter (Br), Grandia, Yokohama Oct 25. Hiogo 29, Shanghai Nov 9, Amoy 16, Singapore 24, Fort Said Dec 21, Gibraltar Jan 2, with mass to order, vessel to Geo F Bulley.

Steamer City of Chester (Br), Watkins, Liverpool Jan 11, Queenstown 12, with make and passengers to John G Dale.

Steamer Kinga Cross ring, May, Newcastle 23 days, via Hampton Roads, in ballast fo Funch, Edge & Co.

Steamer Main (Ger), Heinsbruch, Bremen Jan S, Southampton 10, with make and passengers to Ocifichs & Co.

Steamer Andes (Br), Fearce, Carthagena Dec 29, via Port. Limon and Kingston, with make and passengers to Painess of T, Havana 20, with make and passenses to F Alexandre & Sons.

Steamer Excelsion, Hawthorn, New-Orleans Jan 18, with make and passenses to F Alexandre & Sons.

Steamer Excelsion, Hawthorn, New-Orleans Jan 18, with make to Degert & Morgan.

Steamer Guil Stream, Ingram, Wilmington, NC, with make and passengers to War F Cifde & Co. PORT OF NEW-YORK ..... WEDNESDAY, JAN. 24, 1883.

arrest.

Justice Power listened to Mrs. Lynch's story, and on learning that the custody of her children had been awarded to her by Police Justice Otterbourg. said that such action was not sufficient to bar her husband from taking possession of the living child. He told Mr. and Mrs. Lynch to appear at the court again on Friday, when he would give a further hearing in the case. In the mean time he advised them to adjust their differences over the body of their dead child.

Mrs. Lynch returned to watch beside the coffin at

MR. HADEN'S LECTURES.